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C O N F I D E N T I A L JAKARTA 3926

FOR AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON'S LOS TEAM

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PLOS, OVIP  
SUBJECT: LOS CONSULTATIONS

REF: JAKARTA 3643

1. IN MARCH 29 CONVERSATION WITH AMBASSADOR MINISTER OF JUSTICE MOCHTAR KUSUMAATMADJA SAID HE HOPED MARCH 31 - APRIL 1 TALKS WITH US LOS TEAM, WHICH HE EXPECTED TO FOCUS PRINCIPALLY ON ARCHIPELAGO ARTICLES AND SEABED EXPLOITATION, COULD BE KEPT AS INFORMAL AS POSSIBLE. ALTHOUGH HE FELT MALAYSIAN POSITION ON STRAITS ARTICLES WAS "EXTREME", HE INDICATED THAT GOI WOULD FOR POLITICAL REASONS BE OBLIGED TO SUPPORT GOM AMENDMENTS AND CHANGING GOM POSITION WOULD BE LEFT TO OTHERS.

2. MOCHTAR CHANGED DATE OF HIS LUNCH TO MARCH 31 IN ORDER NOT TO CROWD AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON'S SCHEDULE BEFORE DEPARTURE. HE ANTICIPATES MARCH 31 AFTERNOON NEGOTIATING SESSION AND APRIL 1 MORNING SESSION BEGINNING AROUND 10 A.M.

3. ARMAN BUSTAMAN FROM MINISTRY OF MINES HAS BEEN ADDED  
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TO INDONESIAN TEAM. ADMIRAL JUDONO WILL NOT PARTICIPATE IN TALKS BUT IS BEING INVITED TO AMBASSADOR'S DINNER.

4. MEMBERS OF AMERICAN BUSINESS COMMUNITY BEING INVITED TO RECEPTION MARCH 31 AT 6:30 P.M. AT DCM'S HOME TO MEET AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON.  
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